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LISTING OF THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the

application:

Claim 1 (Canceled):

Claim 2 (Previously Presented): The method as claimed in claim 17, wherein the

copolyamide is an amine terminated copolyamide powder having a melting range of 90 to

150°C and a solution viscosity eta rel in the range from 1.2 to 1.7.

Claims 3-5 (Canceled):

Claim 6 (Canceled):

Claim 7 (Previously Presented): The method as claimed in claim 17, wherein the

isocyanate has a melting range of from 100 to 130°C.

Claim 8 (Previously Presented): The method as claimed in claim 17, wherein an

epoxide having a melting range of from 90 to 130°C, a molecular weight range from 2000 to

6000 and more than two epoxide groups per molecule is employed as crosslinking

component.

Claim 9 (Previously Presented): The method as claimed in claim 17, wherein a

pulverulent free or blocked isocyanate is employed as crosslinking component.

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Claim 10 (Previously Presented): The method as claimed in claim 17, wherein the amine terminated copolyamides in the upper dot and lower dot have different melting temperatures or viscosities.

Claim 11 (Previously Presented): The method as claimed in claim 17, wherein the crosslinking component is an epichlorohydrin.

Claim 12 (Previously Presented): The method as claimed in claim 17, wherein the acrylic component is a di- and/or triacrylate.

Claim 13 (Previously Presented): The method as claimed in claim 17, wherein the reactive amine terminated copolyamide is employed as base dot for the double dot technology, as a strikethrough barrier.

Claim 14 (Canceled):

Claim 15 (Previously Presented): The method as claimed in claim 17, wherein the crosslinking reaction is accelerated by catalysts.

Claim 16 (Previously Presented): The method as claimed in claim 17, wherein the copolyamides are based on lactames (LL, CL), dimer fatty acids and corresponding dicarboxylic acids and diamines having chain lengths of C2 to C15 and piperazine.

Claim 17 (Previously Presented): A method of coating and/or laminating of a structure in the form of a sheet, comprising:

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contacting a hotmelt adhesive structure with said structure in the form of a sheet;

wherein said hot melt adhesive structure comprises

an upper dot and a lower dot on a substrate;

wherein the upper dot and the lower dot comprise an amine-terminated crosslinkable

copolyamide and the lower dot further comprises a crosslinker and an acrylic and/or

polyurethane dispersion;

wherein the crosslinker is selected from the group consisting of the isocyanates and

has more than two reactive groups per molecule; and

wherein the base dot consists of a passivated isocyanate and an amine terminated

copolyamide and is applied in halftone formation as a paste.

Claim 18 (Canceled):

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